



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3440**
Helmut SCHWAB et al. : Docket No. 2001_1882A
Serial No. 10/046,232 : Group Art Unit 1652
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FOR HYDROXYNITRILE LYASE, RECOMBINANT PROTEINS
DERIVED THEREFROM AND HAVING HYDROXYNITRILE
LYASE ACTIVITY, AND USE THEREOF

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 5, 2004, the period for response having been extended for two months by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.